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TITLE:

TV receiver minimum distance monitoring

circuit - has

proximity detector and controller which mutes

or reduces

sound volume, or interrupts receiver power

supply on

detection of person for more than preset

interval

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BASIC-ABSTRACT:

The monitor includes a detector (3) attached to a television (T)

which

determines the approach of a person (M) into a predetermined region

in front of

a television screen. When the presence of a **person is detected** for

more than a

preset time, a controller (5) performs $\underline{\mathbf{muting}}$ or level reduction of

interrupts the TV set power supply.

USE/ADVANTAGE - Especially to prevent children watching TV too close

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to the

. screen. Simple and cost-effective arrangement with simplified setting of sensor on television.

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